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UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION

Attorney Docket No. 5199-5 First Inventor James Dillon Methods and Compositions for Protecting Against Cataract **Development Associated with Vitrectomies**

TRANSMITTAL ER 402409981 US (Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b)) Express Mail Label No. Mail Stop Patent Application APPLICATION ELEMENTS Commissioner for Patents ADDRESS TO: P.O. Box 1450 See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents. Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17) 1. CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or (Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing) Computer Program (Appendix) 2. 🛛 Applicant claims small entity status. 8. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission See 37 CFR 1.27. (if applicable, all necessary) 3. 🛛 Specification (Total Pages a. Computer Readable Form (CRF) (preferred arrangement set forth below) b. Specification Sequence Listing on: Descriptive title of the Invention i. CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or Cross References to Related Applications
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